



Boiling Springs Band Booster Club
Meeting Minutes
Tuesday - March 21st, 2023

The meeting was opened at 7:02 pm by Tripp Bishop, President.

Handouts at meeting: February Minutes, Financial Report, Schedule, New Bylaws

From Tripp Bishop: President

- Fish Fry this Saturday. We are not going to do a signup . If you are available, please come out to help. Tomorrow is the deadline for ticket sales. We will have some available for sale on Saturday.
- We purchased another small trailer. It is a 2017 dual axle. This makes it easier to find people to be able to pull it.
- Thank you to Greg Baker and his company for fixing the tongue on our utility trailer.
- We need to go over the Constitution and By-Laws. We have new copies of the By-Laws, as there were a few small word changes that needed to be made.
 - We are holding the vote tonight to pass the By-Laws. Once they are passed, we need to submit them to the District Office for final approval.

From Kim Green with Papa John's

- Fundraising opportunities
 - Option 1: You can receive a code for a 2 night sale. All sales on those 2 nights are eligible for 15%. Most groups make between \$200 and \$300
 - Option 2: Fundraising card that sells for \$10 You will make 70%. There is a coupon for a free large 1 topping pizza that will more than pay for the card purchase price. This usually makes about \$3000.

From Tyler Scarabino: Director

- Winter Guard is doing really great.
 - Performances at WGI Charlotte Regional, CB Pickins Show (*Varsity and Elite groups won 1st overall*), The SCBDA State Championship (*JV and Elite won silver medals*), and CWEA Byrnes (*JV won 1st over all*)
- Our Elite group has been promoted 4 times, Varsity has been promoted once, and JV is currently under review for promotion. All these students will be awarded a special promotion medal at circuit championships.
- This weekend, our Elite group will be competing at the Atlanta Regional. One of WGI's largest regionals in the southeast. 27 units competing, 12 will go on to finals.
- All 3 guards will compete in the CWEA Championships on April 1st and 2nd. JV will compete on Saturday at Catawba Ridge. Varsity will be at Winthrop. Elite will perform on Sunday at Winthrop.
- We had a Pre CPA concert at Chesney that went really well. We received some great feedback.
- We took 2 Jazz Bands to the State Jazz Festival at Newbury College (1st time taking jazz band). It was a bit wild due to the change from Friday to Saturday due to the weather. We were down some students due to the day change, but we still went, and had a great time. Both bands walked away with an *excellent rating*.



- Last Wednesday, I took the Symphonic Band and Wind Ensemble to the State Festival for their CPA. The Symphonic Band earned a *superior rating*, and the Wind Ensemble earned a *Superior with Distinction*. The Wind Ensemble received a perfect score. This will allow us to be eligible for the SCBDA State Concert Festival.
- Last Thursday, the Concert Band went to the State Festival for their CPA. They received an *excellent rating*.
- We have officially been awarded the 2A/4A Upper State Championship show. 4A will be in the morning, and 2A will be at night.
- Thank you to everyone who made the car show happen. It was a great atmosphere. It was so cool to see everyone's moral so high. Thank you to Jim Cerul who helped make the bases for the trophies, and Michele for getting all of the awesome prizes for the raffle.
- I now have a huge calendar so kids can no longer say they do not know what is going on.
- Next Friday, we are partnering with Chesney and hosting a Friends and Family send off show for the Winter Guard. Our JV will perform at 6, Chesney's JV at 6:30, our Varsity at 7, Chesney's Varsity at 7:30, and our Elite at 8.
- March 28th is the final day for students to turn in their leadership applications. No late applications will be accepted. Students must fill out an application, complete a resume as well as 2 sealed references. We will have a blind panel for interviews.
- Spring Mini Camp will be from 4 to 7 on the 3 Mondays in April after spring break. This allows us to see growth between kids, and see how they are invested in the product before summer.
- Jazz band begins to meet again on April 11th. This is in the students Jazz Google Classroom. We are preparing for our Jazz night on May 5th. Spaghetti dinner being served by the Winter Guard, while the Jazz Bands play. This will be in place of the spring concert.
- May 9th will be the spring concert. This event will showcase Percussion Ensemble, Concert Band, Symphonic Band and Wind Ensemble.
- Please remind students to talk about the awards for the awards banquet. The ballots are on Their Google Classroom. This will close on March 31st.
- Solo and Ensemble - This will be on April 28th and 29th. We have 42 entries amongst our students. We need 14 superiors to be awarded the OPA award.
- Southern Star Music Festival is April 22nd. The call time will be 5am. We will perform at 9:10 and 9:45. After performances, they will spend the day at Six Flags over Georgia. We will be taking 110 students. If anyone would like to chaperone, you must be approved by the district. Chaperone's would need to purchase your park ticket for \$69.
- There have been a lot of rumors about the show for next year. Nothing has been revealed at this point. It will be revealed at the awards banquet.

Minutes, Financials and By-Laws were approved

Next meeting –April 18, 2023, in Band Room

Tripp Bishop thanked everyone for coming. Meeting adjourned at 7:42 pm.

Meeting minutes submitted by: Mindy Cerul

Number in attendance: 28